# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# AGRICULTURE
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5770
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PRODUCTION OF RABI CROPS
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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

(a) the estimated production of foodgrains from the current Rabi Crop alongwith the estimated total production of foodgrain during the current year;

(b) the State-wise estimated allocation to be made alongwith the State-wise demand thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Union Government to fulfil the demand of each of the State?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SBPBK SATYANARAYANA RAO)

(a) : The estimated production of foodgrains from the current rabi crops and the estimated production of foodgrains during 1999-2000 is given below :

1999-2000 (Million tonnes)

| Crops | Rabi | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Rice | 11.36 | 88.55 |
| Wheat | 70.10 | 70.10 |
| Coarse Cereals | 7.24 | 29.36 |
| Pulses | 8.60 | 13.55 |
| Total Foodgrains | 97.30 | 201.56 |

(b) & (c) With the introduction of Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) from June,1997, the allocation of foodgrains for various States/ UTs for families below poverty line were fixed so as to provide 10 kg. foodgrains to below Poverty Line families under TPDS. This quantity has been doubled from 10 kg. to 20 kg. per family per month from 1st April,2000. Under TPDS,transitory allocation of foodgrains is also made for the families Above Poverty Line (APL) equal tothe difference between the average annual lifting of foodgrains over the last 10 years and the BPL quota of the States.The bifurcation of BPL and APL quotas of foodgrains into rice and wheat is left to the choice of the State.

From 1st April, 2000, additional allocations to States/ UTs are made considering the demands of States/ UTs subject to the availability of foodgrains in the central pool at economic cost. A statement showing state-wise allocation of foodgrains for the month of April, 2000 is enclosed

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT INDICATING ALLOTMENT OF RICE AND WHEAT FOR VARIOUS STATES AND Uts UNDER TARGETED FOR APRIL 2000

(IN '000 TONNES)

| Sl.No. | States/Uts | Rice | | | | WHEAT | | | | TOTAL FOOD GRAIN |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | BPL | APL | SUB | ADDL. TOTAL | BPL | APL | SUB | ADDL. TOTAL | |

1. ANIDHRA PRADESH 75.56 153.92 229.48 229.48 0.00 8.00 8.00 8.00 237.48

2. ARUNACHAL PRADESH 1.40 5.86 7.26 7.26 0.14 0.53 0.67 0.67 7.93

3. ASSAM 38.12 25.94 64.06 64.06 0.00 10.30 10.30 10.30 74.36

4. BIHAR 68.72 7.92 76.64 76.64 103.08 11.88 114.96 114.96 191.60

5. DELHI 0.00 13.61 13.61 13.61 0.00 42.64 42.64 42.64 56.25
6. GOA 0.52 3.57 4.09 4.09 0.24 1.69 1.93 1.93 6.02

7 GUJARAT 16.00 18.00 34.00 34.00 24.00 29.50 53.50 53.50 87.50

8. HARYANA 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 14.66 0.72 15.38 15.38 15.38

9. HIMACHAL PRADESH 0.00 5.23 5.23 5.23 8.52 3.20 11.72 11.72 16.95
10. JAMMU & KASHMIR 9.40 12.51 21.91 21.91 2.96 7.36 10.32 10.32 32.23
11. KARNATAKA 46.00 37.00 83.00 83.00 11.50 9.25 20.75 20.75 103.75
12. KERALA 30.70 114.62 145.32 145.32 0.00 37.72 37.72 37.72 183.04
13. MADHYA PRADESH 48.00 10.35 58.35 58.35 58.68 12.65 71.33 71.33 129.68
14. MAHARASHTRA 42.32 22.38 64.70 64.70 78.60 41.38 119.98 119.98 184.68
15. MANIPUR 2.60 2.86 5.46 5.46 0.00 1.71 1.71 1.71 7.17
16. MEGHALAYA 2.86 9.53 12.39 6.34# 18.73 0.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 19.73
17. MIZORAM 1.06 6.81 7.87 7.87 0.00 1.01 1.01 1.01 8.88
18. NAGALAND 1.54 8.63 10.17 10.17 0.38 1.54 1.92 1.92 12.09
19. ORISSA 63.64 3.72 67.36 67.36 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 67.36
20. PUNJAB 1.36 0.28 1.64 1.64 7.24 1.51 8.75 8.75 10.39
21. RAJASTHAN 0.50 0.78 1.28 1.28 42.90 32.68 75.58 75.58 76.86
22. SIKKIM 0.68 2.97 3.65 4.00# 7.65 0.00 0.10 0.10 0.10 7.75
23. TAMIL NADU 91.58 38.44 130.00 130.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 130.02
24. TRIPURA 4.62 9.12 13.74 13.74 0.00 1.28 1.28 1.28 15.00
25. UTTAR PRADESH 63.00 11.20 74.20 74.20 128.00 22.17 150.17 150.17 224.37
26. WEST BENGAL 44.14 10.73 54.87 54.87 47.30 64.70 112.00 112.00 166.87
27. A&N ISLAND 0.30 2.35 2.65 2.65 0.14 0.68 0.82 0.82 3.47
28. CHANDIGARH 0.04 0.17 0.21 0.21 0.32 0.97 1.29 1.29 1.50
29. D&N HAVELI 0.24 0.18 0.42 0.42 0.06 0.05 0.11 0.11 0.53
30. DAMAN & DIU 0.4 0.11 0.15 0.15 0.02 0.04 0.06 0.06 0.21
31. LAKSHADWEEP 0.00 0.55 0.55 0.55 0.00 0.04 0.04 0.04 0.59
32 PONDICHERRY 1.30 0.29 1.59 1.00# 2.59 0.00 0.02 0.02 0.50 0.52 3.11
TOTAL 656.24 539.63 1195.87 11.34 1207.21 528.74 346.32 875.06 0.50 875.56 20.82.76
CRP/BSF/ITBP - 1.69 1.69 1.69 - 2.85 2.85 2.85 4.54
DEFENCE - 10.41 10.41 10.41 - 12.09 12.09 12.09 22.50
BHUTAN - 1.85 1.85 1.85 - 1.70 1.70 1.70 3.55
GRAND TOTAL ALL INDIA 656.24 553.58 1209.82 11.34 1221.16 528.74 362.95 891.69 0.50 892.19 2113.35

@ = Allocation for these two States are made annually.
- = Allocatioin of Yearly quota to Defence services already made.

THE ALLOCATION FOR APRIL, 2000 ARE HEREBY REVISED . ADDL. ALLOCATIONS MADE FOR APRIL, 2000 WITHDRAWN

# Addl. Allocation made to Meghalaya, Sikkim and pondicherry at Economic cost.